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## TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH HEALTH RELATED BOARDS MEMORANDUM

Date: September 14, 2015

**To:** Woody McMillin, Communications & Media Relations

From: Lynda S. England, BS MT (ASCP)

**Board Director** 

Name of Board or Committee: Tennessee Medical Laboratory Board

**Date of Meeting:** October 15, 2015

Time: 9:00 am CDT

Place: Health Related Boards

665 Mainstream Drive First Floor, Iris Room Nashville, TN 37243

## Link to Live Video Stream

https://web.nowuseeit.tn.gov/Mediasite/Play/fba920ced69c46378f467a501a507b851d

## Major Items on Agenda:

Call meeting to order. Introduction of members and staff.

- 1. Approve minutes of the July 15, 2015 Personnel & Education Committee meeting.
- 2. Approve minutes of the July 16, 2015 Board meeting.

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- 3. Report and ratification of determinations of the Personnel & Education Committee, October 14, 2015.
- 4. Conduct Contested Case(s)
- 5. Review Consent Order(s)
- 6. Review Agreed Citation(s)
- 7. Review Orders of Compliance
- 8. Presentations to the Board:
  - A-1 Mike Harkreader Executive Director TN Professional Assistance Program (TNPAP).
  - A-2 Vanessa Crutcher Financial Report
  - A-3 Office of Investigations
    Nichelle Dorroh-Disciplinary Coordinator
  - B Review and Discuss Point of Care Exemption Requests:
    - 1-Mid-South Transplant Foundation, Inc.-Memphis, TN 38018
    - 2-Wayne Medical Center-Waynesboro, TN 38485
    - 3-North Knoxville Medical Center-Powell, TN 37849
    - 4-University Medical Center-Lebanon, TN 37087
    - 5-Methodist Medical Center Germantown Hospital-Germantown, TN 38138
    - 6-Williamson Medical Center-Franklin, TN 37067
  - C. Medical Laboratory Director-More than Three (3) Laboratories.
  - D. Review, discuss and approve licensure for Medical Laboratory Director(s):

Vickie S. Baselski, Ph.D. Memphis, TN 38103

Director: Public Health Laboratory

Catherine S. Brown, Ph.D. St. Simmons Island, GA 31522 Director: Clinical Chemistry

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(Director Approval Cont.)

Jess E. Evans, Ph.D. Eads, TN 38028 Director: General

Sheila Rochette, Ph.D. Cordova, TN 38018

**Director: Molecular Diagnostics** 

- Receive reports and/or requests from the Board Director & Discuss, Review Take Action If Needed
  - 1-American Esoteric Laboratories-Memphis, TN 38134 David L. Smalley, Ph.D., BCLD, MSS, MHA Necessity of Licensure
  - 2-Consider rulemaking for 1200-06-03.1(22) & 1200-06-03.08(d) (5) Relative to pathologist reading slides/location of diagnosis.
  - 3-RESERVED
  - 10. Receive reports and/or requests from the Office of General Counsel.
  - 11. RESERVED
  - 12. Receive reports from Regional Surveyors (East, Middle and West): Proficiency Testing Events/Complaint Investigations.
  - 13- Board Ratification of Laboratory Facility Initial Licenses:
    - 1-BioReference Laboratories, Inc.-Memphis
    - 2-Laboratory Corporation of America-Kingsport, TN 37760
    - 3-Saint Thomas Midtown Hospital (POCT)-Nashville, TN 37326
  - 14. RESERVED
  - 15. Committee/Task Force Reports.
  - 16. Additions to Board Approved Waived Test List
  - 17. Other Business
  - 18. Adjourn

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